



In re Application of: Nk Srinivas  
 Application No.: 09/602,431  
 Filed: June 23, 2000  
 For:

SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR ENHANCING A SERVER'S ABILITY TO WITHSTAND A "SYN-FLOOD" DENIAL OF SERVICE ATTACK

Commissioner for Patents  
 P.O. Box 1450  
 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a response to an office action in the subject application.

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- ☐ Applicants claim small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.27.
- ☐ Petition for Extension of Time
- ☐ Applicants petition for a one-month extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136, the fee for which is \$110.00 (enclosed).
- ☒ Applicants believe that no petition for an extension of time is necessary. However, to the extent that such petition is deemed necessary, Applicants hereby petition for a sufficient extension of time to render the present submission timely. Please charge Deposit Account No. 12-1216 for the appropriate petition fee.
- ☐ No additional claim fee is required.
- ☐ Other:

The claim fee has been calculated as shown below:

					SMALL ENTITY		OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY	
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDIT. CLAIM FEE	RATE	ADDIT. CLAIM FEE
TOTAL	20	MINUS	20	=0	x 9=	\$	x 18=	\$
INDEPENDENT	6	MINUS	4	=2	x 42=	\$	x 84=	\$168.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE CLAIM				+ 140=	\$	+ 280=	\$
					TOTAL	\$	TOTAL	\$168.00

- ☒ Please charge my Deposit Account No. 12-1216 in the amount of \$168.00. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$ is attached.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies in the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 12-1216. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.
- ☒ Any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for the presentation of extra claims.
- ☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed June 19, 2003, please amend this application as set forth hereinbelow. Reconsideration of this application in view of the following amendments and remarks and indication of the allowability of all claims pending therein are respectfully solicited.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING OR TRANSMISSION UNDER 37 CFR 1.8			
I hereby certify that this Response to Office Action and all accompanying documents are, on the date indicated below, <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, or <input type="checkbox"/> being facsimile transmitted to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, Attention: Examiner , Art Unit , Facsimile Number			
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